

REMARKS

The Examiner has rejected claims 1-3 and 22 under 35 USC §103(a) for the reasons cited in the office action.

As discussed with the Examiner during a telephone interview, the claim limitations of claim 1 do overcome the cited references and is in condition for allowance. Claims 2-3, 8-10 and 22 are also in condition for allowance, as they depend from claim 1.

In view of the aforementioned remarks and amendments, it is believed that claims 1-3 and 5-27 are in condition for allowance and allowance of these claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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